

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ELECTIONS - BEFORE  
1940

## AN ACT

To Repeal Sections 1 to 36, of Chapter 6,  
of the Revised Statutes  
relative to

# PRIMARY ELECTIONS

To be referred to the People for  
Acceptance or Rejection

at a

## SPECIAL ELECTION

to be held

October 18, 1927

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**An Act to Repeal Sections One to Thirty-six  
of Chapter Six of the Revised Statutes  
Relative to Primary Elections.**

Be it enacted by the People of the State of  
Maine, as follows:

Article I. Sections 1 to 36, inclusive, of Chapter 6 of the Revised Statutes, and acts amendatory thereof and additional thereto, relating to nominations of candidates for office by primary elections, are hereby repealed.

Article II. All nominations of candidates for any and all state or county offices, including United States Senator, member of Congress, and member of the State Legislature shall hereafter be made at and by party caucuses and conventions, in the same manner as nominations were made prior to the passage of Chapter 199 of the Public Laws of 1911 and Chapter 221 of the Public Laws of 1913. All statutes providing for and relating to nominations for said offices by caucuses and conventions that were in force at the time of passage of said Chapter 199 of the Public Laws of 1911 are revised, reenacted and established.

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The foregoing act was proposed to the Legislature by initiative petitions, containing the signatures of not less than twelve thousand electors.

This proposed act, not having been enacted by the Legislature, is, by virtue of the Constitution, and a proclamation of the Governor, referred to the people for acceptance or rejection at a Special Election to be held October 18, 1927.

EDGAR C. SMITH,

Secretary of State.